

# COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND BUILDING STAFF REPORT

# PLANNING DEPARTMENT HEARING

Promoting the wise use of land

MEETING DATE October 3, 2014	CONTACT/PHONE Stephanie Fuhs (805)781-5721 sfuhs@co.slo.ca.us	APPLICANT Riley/Badzioch	FILE NO. COAL13-0094 SUB2013-00046	
adjust the lot lines between parcels of 10.07 and 41.2 of land. The project will not Agriculture land use cated	juest by Kevin Riley/Anthony Badzion two parcels of 10.07 and 41.22 acts acres each and the reconfiguration of result in the creation of any addition gory and is located at 3180 Willow Crately 2.5 miles west of the communining area.	res each. The adjustment of the two parcels to allow nal parcels. The proposed eek Road, approximately ½	will result in two an equal exchange project is within the mile east of	
RECOMMENDED ACTION Approve Lot Line Adjustment COAL13-0094 based on the findings listed in Exhibit A and the conditions listed in Exhibit B.				
ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION A Class Five Categorical Exemption was issued on August 26, 2014 (ED14-052).				
LAND USE CATEGORY Agriculture	COMBINING DESIGNATION None	ASSESSOR PARCEL NUMBER 039-101-032 and 039-101-041	SUPERVISOR DISTRICT(S) 1	
PLANNING AREA STANDARDS: None applicable				
LAND USE ORDINANCE STANDARDS:  22.22.040 — Subdivision Design standards for the Agriculture land use category				
EXISTING USES: Residences, barn, workshop				
SURROUNDING LAND USE CATEGORIES AND USES:  North: Agriculture/Orchards, vineyards, residences  East: Agriculture/Undeveloped, scattered agricultural uses  South: Agriculture/Scattered residences  West: Agriculture/Agricultural uses, scattered residences				
OTHER AGENCY / ADVISORY GROUP INVOLVEMENT: The project was referred to: Templeton Area Advisory Group, Public Works, Environmental Health, Ag Commissioner				
TOPOGRAPHY: Gently rolling		VEGETATION: Grasses, oaks, vineyard		
PROPOSED SERVICES: Water supply: On-site we Sewage Disposal: Indiv Fire Protection: CalFire		ACCEPTANCE DATE: August 25, 2014		

Additional information may be obtained by contacting the Department of Planning & Building at: County Government Center  $\gamma$  San Luis Obispo  $\gamma$  California 93408  $\gamma$  (805) 781-5600  $\gamma$  Fax: (805) 781-1242

### ORDINANCE COMPLIANCE:

The applicant is proposing to adjust the lot lines between two legal parcels as follows:

EXISTING LOT SIZES (ACRES)	ADJUSTED PARCEL SIZES (ACRES)	
10.07	41.22	
41.22	10.07	

Section 21.02.030 of the Real Property Division Ordinance states that a lot line adjustment shall not be approved or conditionally approved unless the new parcels resulting from the adjustment will maintain a position which is better than, or equal to, the existing situation relative to the county's zoning and building ordinances.

The adjustment will result in the reconfiguration of the two parcels to allow an equal exchange of land so that the owner of proposed Parcel 1 can expand their vineyard.

#### SB 497

As of January 1, 2002, lot line adjustments are limited to four or fewer existing adjoining parcels. In addition, the new parcels must comply not only with zoning and building regulations, but also with the general plan and any applicable coastal plan. The County's local ordinance allows a determination to be made that the proposed situation is equal to or better than the existing situation. Because the parcel sizes are below minimum parcel size as set through the General Plan and will remain so after the adjustment, staff has concluded that the adjustment is consistent with both state and local law.

## **ACCESS**

The parcel(s) do not have frontage on a public road. In order to assure access, the adjusted parcel(s) must be provided access from a road by the recordation of either Offer(s) of Dedication or Declaration(s) of Restrictive Covenant. This requirement is reflected in the conditions of approval.

#### LEGAL LOT STATUS:

The two lots were legally created a recorded map at a time when that was a legal method of creating lots.